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Amendment and Reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is in Response to the Office Action mailed June 4, 2002 (Paper No. 16), for the above-captioned application. A response is due with a two-month extension of time fee on November 4, 2002. While applicant believes that the correct payment for the extension of time fee is attached, the Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 08-1641.

Please amend the Application as set forth in the Amendments below and in the attached Marked Copy. Amendments to the specification are made to correct claim to priority. No new matter is added with such amendments.

Amendments

In the Specification:

Please amend the first line of the specification on page 1 to read as follows:

C1 This is a National Phase Application of PCT/US98/19794, filed 09/22/98, which claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/061,589, filed 10/10/97.